

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2001**

Juvenile Court **TIPTON**  
Court Number **84**

January - December 2001                      394 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      286 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
1	OR	0.18% 1st Degree Murder
1	OR	0.18% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
1	OR	0.18% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
1	OR	0.18% Aggravated Sexual Battery
1	OR	0.18% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.18% Other Sexual Offenses
7	OR	1.27% Aggravated Assault
1	OR	0.18% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
6	OR	1.08% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
45	OR	8.14% Assault
4	OR	0.72% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
20	OR	3.62% Aggravated Burglary
38	OR	6.87% Theft of Property
29	OR	5.24% Vandalism
4	OR	0.72% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
45	OR	8.14% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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2	OR	0.36% Sale of Controlled Substances
16	OR	2.89% Other Drug Offenses
62	OR	11.21% Possession of Controlled Substances
2	OR	0.36% Criminal Attempt
5	OR	0.90% Carrying Weapons on School Property
4	OR	0.72% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
9	OR	1.63% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
1	OR	0.18% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
40	OR	7.23% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
4	OR	0.72% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
3	OR	0.54% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
3	OR	0.54% Filing a False Police Report
4	OR	0.72% Criminal Impersonation
6	OR	1.08% Disorderly Conduct
13	OR	2.35% Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
28	OR	5.06% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
17	OR	3.07% Violation of Probation
5	OR	0.90% Violation of Aftercare
21	OR	3.80% Unruly Behavior
72	OR	13.02% Truancy
7	OR	1.27% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
9	OR	1.63% Possession of Tobacco Products
5	OR	0.90% Violation of a Valid Court Order
3	OR	0.54% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
2	OR	0.36% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.00% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
5	OR	0.90% Other

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553	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 394 Cases, There Were

553 Referral Sources

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**Referral Source**

397	OR	71.8% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
5	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Parents
8	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
90	OR	16.3% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
13	OR	2.4% Were Referred By DCS
5	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
5	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
30	OR	5.4% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
553	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 394 Cases, There Were 553 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

553	OR	100.0% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
0	OR	0.0% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
553	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 394 Cases:

#### **Type Of Detention**

2	OR	0.5% Non-Secure Placement
23	OR	5.8% Juvenile Detention Facility
1	OR	0.3% Jail - Complete Separation
3	OR	0.8% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
2	OR	0.5% Psychiatric Hospital
2	OR	0.5% Unknown
361	OR	91.6% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
394	OR	100.0% Total

#### **Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**

355	OR	90.1% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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7	OR	1.8% Juvenile Detention Facility
8	OR	2.0% Jail
16	OR	4.1% Shelter Facility/Group Home
2	OR	0.5% Foster Family
2	OR	0.5% Psychiatric Hospital
2	OR	0.5% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.5% Other
394	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

286 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

23	OR	8.0% Birth Through Age 10
14	OR	4.9% Ages 11 Through 12
50	OR	17.5% Ages 13 Through 14
111	OR	38.8% Ages 15 Through 16
85	OR	29.7% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
3	OR	1.0% Unknown/Not Reported
286	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

204	OR	71.3% Male
82	OR	28.7% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
286	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

188	OR	65.7% White
89	OR	31.1% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
2	OR	0.7% Mixed Race
7	OR	2.4% Unknown
286	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 286 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

5	OR	1.7% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

77	OR	26.9% Living With Both Biological Parents
0	OR	0.0% Living With Father And Stepmother
9	OR	3.1% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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157	OR	54.9% Living With Mother
28	OR	9.8% Living With Father
12	OR	4.2% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
0	OR	0.0% Living With Foster Family
1	OR	0.3% Living In A Group Home
2	OR	0.7% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
286	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

250	OR	87.4% Were Enrolled In School
15	OR	5.2% Were Not Enrolled In School
21	OR	7.3% Unknown
286	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
2	OR	0.7% Pre-School
7	OR	2.4% Finished Kindergarten
2	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 1
2	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 2
2	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 3
8	OR	2.8% Finished Grade 4
9	OR	3.1% Finished Grade 5
7	OR	2.4% Finished Grade 6
16	OR	5.6% Finished Grade 7
26	OR	9.1% Finished Grade 8
55	OR	19.2% Finished Grade 9
42	OR	14.7% Finished Grade 10
29	OR	10.1% Finished Grade 11
8	OR	2.8% Finished Grade 12
1	OR	0.3% Non-graded Special Education
8	OR	2.8% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
62	OR	21.7% Unknown
286	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

7	OR	2.4% Were Enrolled In Special Education
9	OR	3.1% Not Enrolled In Special Education
270	OR	94.4% Unknown
286	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 1,310 Specific **Case Outcomes**

Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

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119	OR	9.08% Case Dismissed
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2	OR	0.15% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
18	OR	1.37% Warned/Counseled
2	OR	0.15% Held Open For Review
57	OR	4.35% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
17	OR	1.30% Probation To Parents
1	OR	0.08% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
47	OR	3.59% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
36	OR	2.75% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
3	OR	0.23% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
28	OR	2.14% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
9	OR	0.69% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
1	OR	0.08% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
41	OR	3.13% Fine
143	OR	10.92% Public Service
44	OR	3.36% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
31	OR	2.37% No Contact Order
2	OR	0.15% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
138	OR	10.53% House Arrest
153	OR	11.68% Court Defined Curfew
1	OR	0.08% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
2	OR	0.15% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
31	OR	2.37% DCS Commitment/Custody
13	OR	0.99% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
36	OR	2.75% Other Intensive Probation
42	OR	3.21% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
12	OR	0.92% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
133	OR	10.15% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued
2	OR	0.15% Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged

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0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
146	OR	11.15% Other
1,310	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 553 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

553	OR	100.0% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
553	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 394 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

553 Referral Reasons Was:

169	OR	30.6% Dismissed
3	OR	0.5% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
331	OR	59.9% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
1	OR	0.2% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	OR	0.0% Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
49	OR	8.9% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
553	OR	100.0% Total